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SUBJECT: SECRETARIAT REQUEST FOR IDENTIFICATION OF U.S.  
EXPERT ON PROCESS OF SCHOOL CURRICULUM CHANGE

REF: PARIS 07155, MARCH 11, L977

1. DHEW/OE (COTNER) HAS DISCUSSED ABOVE REQUEST WITH  
DR. LOUISE BERMAN, PROFESSOR OF EDUCATION IN CURRICULUM  
DEVELOPMENT, UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND (1967 TO PRESENT),  
FORMERLY ASSOCIATE SECRETARY WITH THE ASCD 1965-67. SHE  
IS INTERESTED IN DOING STUDY IF DEADLINE COULD BE  
EXTENDED TO JULY 10. SHE WOULD ALSO REQUIRE \$2,500 AS  
SHE WOULD HAVE TO LIGHTEN HER TEACHING LOAD AT A LOSS  
OF \$2,500 THE FIRST TERM SUMMER SESSION IN ORDER TO DO  
STUDY. WE BELIEVE THE UNESCO MAY 15 DEADLINE WILL PROVE  
UNREALISTIC FOR ANYONE EMPLOYED FULL TIME AS END OF SCHOOL  
YEAR APPROACHES.

2. WE WOULD APPRECIATE UNESCO CLARIFICATION OF PROPOSED  
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PAPER IN REGARD TO FOLLOWING POINTS:

A) IS THE STUDY LIMITED TO THE ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY  
SCHOOL LEVELS?

B) DOES THE STUDY INCLUDE FORMAL AND/OR INFORMAL

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS?

C) IS IT CORRECT TO ASSUME THAT THE STUDY (A) INVOLVES METHODOLOGY AND TECHNIQUES OF CONDUCTING STUDIES OR SURVEYS OF CURRICULUM NEEDS AND ASPIRATIONS AND (B) SUBSEQUENTLY, THE PROCEDURE OR MECHANISMS FOR EFFECTING CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT OR CHANGE? WE ASSUME EVALUATION OF NEW CURRICULUM NOT INVOLVED.

D) IS IT CORRECT TO ASSUME THAT THE STUDY WOULD ONLY DEAL WITH HOW TO IDENTIFY APPROPRIATE CONTENT RATHER THAN SPECIFY THE CONTENT?

E) ARE WE TO ASSUME THAT THE STUDY INCLUDES THE METHODS OR TECHNIQUES FOR SURVEYING THE NEEDS OF BUSINESS, INDUSTRY OR AGRICULTURE IN RELATING EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT TO THE WORLD OF WORK?

3. ALSO PLEASE NOTE THAT WE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE 19 C/5 APPROVED PROGRAM AND BUDGET AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AS PARAGRAPH NUMBERING WITH DRAFT 19 C/5 IS SOMETIMES DIFFERENT.

4. IF UNESCO SECRETARIAT CAN ACCEPT TERMS AS PROPOSED IN PARA 1 BERMAN WOULD APPRECIATE A LETTER EXPLAINING IN DETAIL THE NATURE OF PROPOSED STUDY. HER ADDRESS IS: 7333 NEW HAMPSHIRE AVENUE, APARTMENT 1205, HYATTSVILLE, MARYLAND 20783.

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